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Repeal Obamacare's Expensive Exchanges

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Recently, the Obama Administration admitted, via blog post, that yet another component of Obamacare is unworkable. The President's decision to delay by one year the implementation of the employer mandate provides further evidence of what most of us already know: Obamacare is not the solution to our nation's healthcare problems. Senator Baucus was correct in calling the monstrosity that is the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (PPACA) a "train wreck."

While the Administration's one year delay of the employer mandate gives businesses temporary relief from the law's onerous requirements, the rest of Obamacare, which is just as flawed, continues toward implementation. In response to the President's announcement, House Republicans passed legislation to give hardworking Americans the same relief from Obamacare's expensive and burdensome requirements that the President gave to businesses.

Ultimately, Americans deserve permanent relief from Obamacare. It is time we get rid of these cumbersome and restricting provisions of Obamacare before more Americans lose their jobs and hard-earned money. **That is why Rep. Matt Salmon (R-AZ) has introduced H.R. 1908, the Federal Repeal of Expensive Exchanges (FREE) Act.** The FREE Act would repeal not only Obamacare's costly federal exchanges, but also the employer and individual mandates, among other provisions. This legislation would halt Obamacare in its tracks, ending the assault on states' traditional authority to regulate health insurance and preventing further damage to our nation's economy.

On several occasions House Republicans have voted to repeal or defund portions of Obamacare and the law in its entirety. The FREE Act is supported by Heritage Action and FreedomWorks as key legislation in the ongoing fight for freedom against an overreaching Administration.

To cosponsor H.R. 1908 or for more information, please contact Lliam Morrison in Rep. Salmon's office at Lliam.Morrison@mail.house.gov or 5-2635.

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